FINANCIAL.

Thick Johnny Bull

LIMBURGER CHEESE.

An Englishmen present puzzled over it, and finally gave it up. "Why, it reads 'Sigsbee sent Dewey some Limburger cheese," 'v said the joker. "Yes," replied the victim, as he scanned the lines again, "but where is the 'sent?" "In the Limburger cheese," was the reply, and everybody laughed. The Englishman

Stored This Away

BUY STOCKS.

STEEL STOCKS ADVANCE

Irregular Price Changes in Early Market Dealings.

Local Traction Issues Steadier-Atchison, Preferred, and the Grangers Features of the Railway List-Pro-

NEW YORK May 16 -Irregular price changes resulted from the early dealing in the stock market this morning, although advances predominated. Rather contrary perhaps, to the general expectations, the steel stocks were particularly strong, with advances of 1 per cent showing in both l'ederal Steel and Steel and Wire, while ennessee Coal and Iron also ran up

The local traction issues displayed greater degree of steadiness than for som days, with fairly active dealings in Brook

lyn Rapid Transit.

In the railway list, the firmest features were Atchison preferred and the granger shares, Burlington and Quincy being the feature of the latter group. Missouri Pacific was heavily dealt in, but was somewhat reactionary, chiefly on the discussion of the proposed increase in capitalization.

The very propounced strength which another the proposed increase in capitalization.

The very pronounced strength which appeared in the London market was instrumental in the firmer tone appearing in the local dealings. All quarters of the London market advanced on the bettering money conditions and war situation, and the advances in the American quarter extinded to 1 per cent. Foreign houses bought to 1 per cent. Foreign houses bought stocks here upon the opening of business. There were few important changes in local conditions over night, and the announcement of the proposed amendment to the Constitution transferring the central of

New York Stock Market. Corrected daily by W. B. Hichs & Co., members of the New York Exchange, 1419

the so-called trusts to the Federal Go:

ernment was without any effect upon the

F Street.				
	Open	High.	Low.	2:15
Amer. Cot. Oil	33 ~	33	33 %	33 -
american S. & W	34	35	33%	
A. S. Wire pfd	75	75 %	75	75%
American Sugar	108%	109		107%
American Tobacco	92	9234	90	91 .
Atchison	25%	25	24%	25%
Atchison pfd	70	7134	6936	711/6
B. & O	74%	74%	79 -	79%
B. & O. pfd		80		
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	68%	6934	68	68%
Chesapeake & Ohio	28 58	281/2	2736	28%
C., C., C. & St. L Chicago, B. & Q	125%	126	58% 125¼	126 - 1
Chicago Gas	9736	98 4	9634	98%
C., M. & St. Paul	11654	116%	115%	116%
Chi., R. L & Pacific	105%	106%	105%	10636
Chi. & Great Western	12%	12%	1256	1232
C. F. I	36	36%	35%	2354
Consolidated Gas	190	191	187 %	.67%
Continental Tobacco	24%	24 %	2354	2334
Continental Tobacco pfd	76	76	7534	
Federal Steel	35%	30 /8	34%	35.%
Federal Steel p.d	65 .	66%	65	65%
Illinois Central	112	112 :	11136	112%
Louisville & Na hville	80	80%	79%	80%
Metropolitan Traction	148		14734	148 5
Manhatian Elevated	89	89%	8836	89
Missouri Pacific	57		5534	56%
M. K. & T. pfd	-33	33	3256	325%
National Lead Co	19	19	18 .	18%
New York Central		131	130%	131
N. Y., O & Western			2134	11%
Northern Pac lic		59	57°a	US%
Northern Pacific ptd			13,8	74%
Pacific Mail			29 .	2934
Fenn. Railroad				129%
Reading firsts		5514	.55	55%
Southern Pacific		34%	33 .	34%
Southern Railway			1236	12%
Southern Ranway pid		55%	54%	
Texas Pacific	17-		16%	17
Tenn. Coaf & Iron			68 %	71%
Union Pacific	53%		5358	54%
Union Pacific pid				
U. S. Leather	11	1152		
U. S. Leather pid		69	67	- 68
U. S. Rubber				184
Wabash pfd		21%	21 v	21%
Western Union Tel	79%	711%	79%	.9.5a

The Stock Market this morning was much like that of yesterday with rather dull business, strength in the railway list and a tendency to weakness in the steel securities and in some of the other Industrial securities. The advocment of prices was irregular in the extreme and it would be hard to say whether the bulls or the bears were the victors. The opening was strong on heavy London buying and some commission buying as well. It was said that London and Continental houses took 25,000 shares of the grangers and the Pacifics. The steel stocks advanced at the opening well, but soon began to weaken The Stock Market this morning was opening well, but soon began to weaken and before noon had reached prices as low and before noon had reached prices as low as any of yesterday. Missouri Pacific was the weak feature of the railway list. It went off to 55 and a fraction, being apparently sold on the strength of the remainder of the market. Sugar was also sold off to 100 and a fraction. The outlook is still good for strength in the railways. Money continues easy. The bank statement this week will be a good one. The exports of gold will not be heavy. An Increase of Mortality From Con-

The "London Statist" publishes an article on the Union Pacific which is particularly interesting. The estimate is made that the net earnings of the company for the year ending June 30 will be \$10,228,000, which would allow of the payment of the full dividend on the preferred stock and leave 6 per cent earned on the common. The earnings of the Missouri Pacific for heart. the March quarter will show an increase of \$600,000. Insiders persist in the statement that the company will pay 1 1-4 per cent on the stock at the end of the current quarter, and that the Rockefellers wil be represented in the directory within the coming month. The gross earnings of the Northern Pacific for the first week of May show an increase of \$68,900, and since July

The gossip regarding the Burlington is most hopeful, although there is an inclina tion to doubt the rumor of a new refund-ing scheme. The company has an issue of per cent bonds coming due in 1903, and the story in some quarters is that these bonds are to be refunded immediately after the plan worked so successfully last year. The fact that money is abundant at the present time, and rates cheap, gives the story a look of probability, but officials of the Burlington refuse to confirm it. Aside from the "rights" that would accrue in a refunding scheme, and the reduction in fixed charges that would result, Burling-ton stock looks very cheap at its present level. There is being earned so like 8 per cent on the stock. The dividend ts 6 per cent, so that the return is about 5 per cent on the investment at the present

The steel securities took a course entirely opposite to the general market. They were at no time strong after the opening and at several periods during the session they tumbled badly and showed no support whatever. There was nothing new in the steel situation, though gossip regarding further cuts in prices was heard. Judge Gary is quoted as being entirely hopeful over the trade outlook entirely hopeful over the trade outlook. He states that business is good at present and is likely to continue so.

The Sugar directors met yesterday, but as far as could be learned only routine business was transacted.

per cent on the common stock. The common stock dividend is the first ever paid.

Lake Shore for the quarter ending March 31 shows a surplus after charges of \$1,736,-885, as compared with \$1,058,254 last year. The Rubber Trust for the fiscal year ending March 31 had net earnings of \$3,007,-887, a decrease of \$218,626.

Washington Stock Exchange.

National Safe and Trust. 4@133: Capital Traction, 5@103 1-8; Washington Gas, 100@54 1-8; 119@54; 100@53 7-8; 100 @53 3-4; Mergentualer Linotype, 45@187; nounced Strength in London Ope-rations—Foreign Houses Buying. 70@1871-8; 35@1871-4; Lanston Monotype, 100@12 3-8; American Graphophone, pre-ferred, 6@13. After Call: Lanston Mon-otype, 25@12 3-8; 200@12 1-4; Washington otype, 25@12 3-8; Gas, 100@53 5-8.

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	Capital Traction R. R. 4's 106%	100
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- 3	Ches. & Pot. Tel., 1896-1911 104	
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	Bank of Washington	365	400
	Metropolizan	600	
	Central	200	
	Farmers' & Mechanics'		****
	Second		
	Citizens'		
	Columbia		****
	Capital	150	160
	West End	117	120
	Traders'	125	135
	Lincoln	118	125
	SAFE DEPOSIT AND TRUST O	ONED A ST	
H	The state of the s		
	National Safe Deposit & Trust	134	135
	Wash, Loan & Trust	157	161
	American Security & Trust		204
	Wash. Safe Deposit		-

Wash. Loan & Trust	157
American Security & Trust	200
Wash. Safe Deposit	70
INSURANCE STOCKS.	
Firemen	33
Franklin	40
Metropolitan	-80
Corcoran	60

American Security & Trust	200
Wash. Safe Deposit	70
INSURANCE STOCKS.	
Firemen	33
Franklin	40
Metropolitan	80
Corcoran	62
Potomae	75
Arlington	140
German American	210
National Union	
	1236
Riggs	8
People's	6%
Commercial	
	110
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Colonial	110	1
TITLE INSURANCE STOC	KS.	
Real Estate Title Columbia Title Washington Title District Title	4% 31/4	
RAILROAD STOCKS.		
Capital Traction	103%	1
Capital Traction Capital Traction Co. Scrip City & Suburban Georgetown & Tennallytown	25	10
GAS AND ELECTRIC LIGHT	STOCKS	
Washington Gas	29	
U. S. Electric Light TELEPHONE STOCKS.	49.15	
Chesapeake & Potomac	58 -	- 1
Pennsylvania	36	
MISCELLANEOUS STOCK	13.	

Washington Market	170
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PORK- July	11.70	11.90	11.67	11.87
July /		7.10		7.10 7.12
Rins-			and the	
July	6.70		6.67	6.72

New York Cotton Market. Open. High. Low. 2:15

DEATHS IN THE DISTRICT.

tagious Diseases.

There were 127 deaths in the District during the past week. Of these 78 were of the undertaker's Coroner Carr viewed it whites and 49 colored. The annual d ath and issued a certificate of accidental death. rate, therefore, was 22.41 for each thousand of the whole population, that for the whites being 19.74 and for the colored 28.53, Of the principal causes of death there resulted 13 fatal cases from diseases of the suited 13 fatal cases from diseases of unbrain and nervous system, 19 from consumption, and 17 from affections of the heart. Of the infectious and contagious class there were 2 deaths from smallpox, class there were 2 deaths from smallpox, and 2 5 from grippe, 4 from diphtheria, and 2

from measles.

At the close of the last repor: there were 4 cases of smallpox in the hospital. During the week snew cases developed and 2 died, leaving 8 cases under treatment in the smallpox hospital.

There were forty-nine cases of diphtheria in quarantine at the close of last report. During the week sixteen new cases

occurred and fourteen were discharged leaving fifty-one cases in isolation, in thir ty-seven premises.

Of scarlet fever there were forty-seven cases in quarantine at the close of last re-port. During the week fourteen new cases were reported, and sixteen were discharged, leaving forty-five cases, with warning

reaving forty-five cases, with warning cards, in thirty-one premises.

The following are the deaths, classified according to their causes: Apoplexy, 5; bronchitis, 4; Congestion of lungs, 1; consumption, 19; convulsions, 1; diarrhoeal diseases, 1; diphtheria, 4; diseases of brain, 7; diseases of heart, 17; diseases of kidneys 8; malignant growths 1; meaning 2 neys, 8; malignant growths, 1; measles, 2; pneumonia, 19; typhoid fever, 1; whooping cough, 1: miscellaneous, 28; grippe, 5; variola, 2; total 127.

variola, 2; total 127.

There were twenty-three deaths of persons under one year of age, sixteen from one to five years old, and twenty-four who were sixty years old and over.

Instantly Killed by a Fall. BOSTON, May 16.-John Newton, father

He was killed instantly. Old Coins in a Powder Horn. FREDERICKSBURG, Va., May 16 .- Peter Rich, a colored man, plowed up a powas far as could be learned only routine business was transacted.

The National Tube Company yesterday declared a dividend of 13-4 per cent on its preferred stock and a dividend of 11-2

The horn was badly decayed.

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BIDS FOR GARBAGE DISPOSAL. Certain Parties in Michigan Desire

Representative John B. Corliss of Michigan recently wrote to the Commissioners in reference to the bidding of his consti-

Mr. Corliss said:

"The specifications heretofore adopted as a basis for advertisements and bids, were so indefinite, the collection districts being left in the hands of the Health Officer, so as to permit him to compel the contractor to make daily, weekly, or tri-weekly collections in certain territory, in his discretion impossible and undefinite the contractor of the discretion, imposing a possible and un-certain expense of a considerable sum of money, and the advertisement as stated by the former President of the Board of Commissioners in a communication to me be-ing tentative and unauthorized by an act of Congress, they declined to make the bid

Thereunder.

"The Conference Committee of the House and Senate having charge of the subject will undoubtedly authorize your Commission to make such contract, and I assume that, in order to make the contract legal, you will have to readvertise. I have suggested as an amendment to the bill that the Commissioners be directed to fix collection districts and specify positively the collections to be made, whether daily, would be the content of the collections to be made, whether daily, would be the content to the content of the collections to be made, whether daily, would be the content to the content of the collections to be made, whether daily and the collections to be made, whether daily, would be content to the content of the cont weekly, tri, or semi-weekly, in order to

GAS STOVES.

The American Boys Able to Teach

ship derided him at first, and declared that they could not stand his crouching p sition at any pice. But he began to win races, whereupon the severest critics began slowly to change their mind. Some even went so far as to back his mounts systematically, and were annoyed to find that he could not make their furume. Sloan's triumphs induced other American jockeys to come here and try their skill on the English turf; curiously, they have all been more or less successful.

One of the latest arrivals is Rigby who was not long before he found his way first past the poet in this country. He rides

look at, but we cannot afford to ridicule re-sults. Rigby came here with an excellent reputation as a jockey, and he has main-tained it on our courses with some suc-cess. He is steady, well conducted, and thoroughly reliable. He does not se m to care for a rough horse or for one that pulls very hard; his dismounting inci-dent at Newmarket was the subject of un-favorable comment. No doubt it will not occur again, at least not if he can help it. Rigby is unquestionably a good jockey; Rigby is unquestionably a good jockey yet, like nearly all the American rider

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to Make Proposals. tuents on the contract for the collection and disposal of garbage. He informed the Commissioners that parties in Michigan were interested in the matter and desired to submit a bid for such work and for the erection of a reduction plant. Continuing, Mr. Corliss said:

enable contractors to make an honest and impartial bid thereunder."

In conclusion, Mr. Corliss requests the Commissioners to inform him with reference to the subject, and to furnish him with new specifications when they are prepared.

ACTOR SERVES AT A GRAVE. Reads the Burial Service Over a

CHICAGO, May 16 .- Willie Collier, the actor, one of a group of mourners gathered about an open grave in Graceland Ceme tery, read the burial service over the body of Frederick Grosvenor Stanley yes-terday afternoon, and conducted the full funeral rites usually performed by a rec-

because, through a misunderstanding, the request to officiate at the burial had failed to reach the Rev. Thaddeus A. Snively, rector of St. Chrysostom's Church. Un-aware of this, the funeral party waited for two hours in Dearborn Avenue Church, and then the cortege proceeded to the cemetery. Here, at the request of the widow, Mr. Col-lier, who was a close friend of Mr. Stanley,

consigned the body to the grave. KILLED BY WOOD ALCOHOL.

Four Pennsylvania Miners Dead From Drinking It. ALTOONA, Pa., May 16.-Three brothers named Collene and a fourth Italian, named Rahava, are dead at South Fork as a result of drinking wood alcohol. There had been a miners' gambling game, at which the supply of regular alcohol became exhausted.

A gallon of wood alcohol was obtained, mixed with syrup, and passed around to the company. The fatalities will probably be seven, as three other Italians are at the point of death as a result of drinking

MRS. WALL'S DEATH. The Body Prepared for Burial-Funeral Arrangements Not Completed. The remains of Mrs. Mary F. Wall, who died at the Emergency Hospital last night as the result of burns sustained at her home 1918 N Street, about 1.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon, were today prepared for 9.46 9.46 burial at the undertaking establishment of 9.27 9.27 W. R. Spear, in F Street. The remains will be held there until the arrival from St. Louis of Nicholas Wall, a nepher who burial at the undertaking establishment of W. R. Spear, in F Street. The remains will be held there until the arrival from St. Louis of Nicholas Wail, a nephew who was advised of the death by telegraph, Mr. Wall is expected to arrive tonight. The funeral arangements will be completed by him. It is understood that the body will be sent to St. Louis for burial. Before the body was removed from the hospital to the undertaker's Coroner Carr viewed it.

OFFER OF BUILDINGS.

A Property Owner in Twining City Submits a Proposal. ings are situated on Pennsylvania Avenue extended, that they are built upon lot 18,

block 6, which is 30 by 150 feet in extent, that the buildings contain six rooms each, and that they are unencumbered by debt In view of the fact that the Distric in view of the fact that the District now rents its school buildings in Twining City, Mr. Nelson offers the property to the Commissioners on a five years' contract.

The offer was referred to the School Board and was considered by that body. J. S. Falk, the secretary, now reports back

are not thought to be available for school purposes. It is expected that the Commissioners will approve the report of the School Board

in the matter.

INVITED TO WASHINGTON. District Delegates Will Ask National Conference of Charities to Come. The Commissioners have replied to the letter of Rev. H. H. Hart, General Secratary of the National Conference of Charities and Correction, asking them to send delegates to the annual meeting in Tope-

ka, Kan. They say that delegales have been appointed to represent the District, and that they will be in atendance on the meeting of the Conference.

The Commissioners further state that the delegates from the District of Columbia are authorized to ask the Conference to select of a family of five, who was sick with the grip, but unable to afford the hoss of a day's pay, went to work this morning at 8 o'clock and an hour later fell from the "L' Road structure on which he was working. He was killed instantly.

Washington as its place of meeting in 1901. Mr Hart is assured that it is the earnest desire of the Commissioners that the invitation be favorably received, and to this end they will be grateful for any assistance that the secretary may be able to

> The Mexican Ambassador Improved Ambassador Powell Clayton, who has just returned to his post at the City of Mexico, from Orizaba, Mexico, writes that his health is much better. He notifies the state Department this morning that the Mexican Government had designated Major del Rio, medical surgeon, sub-director of the Military Hospital of Vera Cruz, as a delegate of the Medical Military Corps to attend the meeting of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States, to be held in New York from May 31 to June 2, inclusive.

An Avenue in Schuetzen Park. Mr. Ketcham has introduced in the House a bill for an avenue in that part of the sub-division of the Schuetzen Park, in the District, which lies south of Hancock

for future reference, and when he got home to "old Hingland" he "sprung it" at his club. When they all gave it up he said: "It's easy; it reads Sigsbee gave Dewey some Limburger cheese." "Where's the 'gave'?" asked his hearers. "In the cheese." roared the Englishman, and then wondered why nobody saw the joke. The application of this to our business is in the fact that comparatively few people know a good thing when they see it. Those that do make money on Stocks, Grain, and Cotton, because they buy on the breaks and sell on the bulges. Try it! It's a winner with our fast service. Our free book explains. Howard, Crosby & Co., 62 Wall St., New York. Washington Correspondent. L. D. FOWLER & CO., 1421 F St.

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past the post in this country. He rides in pretty much the same style as that adopted by his compatriots, probably they can ride no other style, and it is not a bad one as far as it goes. It is not pretty to look at, but we cannot afford to ridicule re-

yet, like nearly all the American riders, he does not impress us with the idea that he is a fine horseman. Goodness only knows what would happen to him and t e others if they tried to race over the regulation steeplechase course. But he possesses a sort of acquired instinct—if the phrase be permissible—for running his race out at a consistently true pace; he take, care that his mount gives the best p.r-formance of which he is capable.

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